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In re Patent Application of: Harry A. Dugger, III et al.

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For: BUCCAL, POLAR AND NON-POLAR SPRAY

CONTAINING ALPRAZOLAM

Examiner: M. Haghighatian

## AMENDMENT WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated February 22, 2007, finally rejecting claims 1-8, 10, 22-26, 28, 40-46, 48, 57-59 and 61, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.